

leader, but, after allowing for that, it seems probable that the share will soon command more than \$2. There is a big quantity of silver and lead in its territory. Getting the metals out and selling them are the problems which loom before the company.

The C. & C. (meaning California and Comstock) Consolidated company, proposes to inaugurate an era of deep mining at the western extremity of the Park City section and next to the estate of the Silver King. An additional 650 feet will bring the present shaft on the C. & C. down to the thousand-foot level and that is the depth deemed necessary to make the property a brilliant member of the galaxy of Park City producers.

Political Breezes.-How They Blow.

(By Candida.)

And so Governor Spry is to have a ball, not an inaugural ball but an "administration" ball. With the astute Col. Squires in charge it is not surprising to find the National Guard away up in the front row of those honored on committeeships.

January 25 is to be the date and Odeon hall the place and there will be considerable dress parade of those willing, and those invited free. A novelty in administration balls will come for this one with the inviting of Fort Douglas officers as guests of honor. Fort Douglas pretty nearly passed the last administration ball up, and the plan this year is to patch up all the fences that are found in a state of dilapidation.

Therefore, also, Heber M. Wells will be chairman of the committee on reception. Time was when Heber and William would hardly have gone into the same lion's cage together on the same evening, but all that's to be forgotten now and the first governor is to shake the hands of those who come to usher in the third to his administrative responsibilities, barring a few little things, like a legislative message and an appointment or two which were slipped in before the date of the ball. And this is as it should be in accordance with the policy of hoped-for unity outlined by Governor Spry for the good of the state.

Let us hope that Governor Spry will have the grand march at his ball, which, it is promised, will be led by himself and Col. Scott of Fort Douglas, preceded by prayer. So far the new governor has performed all the multifarious duties connected with promising jobs and writing messages without the guidance of an official chaplain. And Trouble is to blame. It was not intended thus, since a very nice praying gentleman journeyed all the way down from Ogden to start things off right at the inauguration. More than that, he brought a very nice wife with him to hear how her husband could pray at an inauguration. And then somebody forgot something, "slipped a cog" in the mechanism, and the chaplain sat in a seat duly provided during the whole of the ceremonies, neither once joining in or listening to an appeal for divine guidance. Col. Squires is assured that peace has been arranged and apologies accepted, and the Ogden praying man takes it all very well, as he wouldn't for the world do anything to cripple his chances in the still hunt he is conducting to do the senate's daily praying.

And of the legislature and the jobs it has to give away, at least seven applicants are on hand on an average per position, perched handily, and pushing each other for the first chance to jump into the salary list. After all the jobs are disposed of there will be a few little matters of importance for the lawmakers to take up. One of them, for instance, will be to return Reed to

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As to be without a telephone," says the manager of a large market in an article in the Washington Star. "More than half of our customers, probably, have telephones, and seven times in ten they telephone their orders rather than come down here or wait for the order man to come around. Most of the people who trade with us prefer ordering by telephone to giving their orders to the man who calls at the back door. If they wait till the order clerk comes around on the wagon they can't very well get their orders filled before noon time, whereas if they telephone early we can deliver what they want by the same man they used to order from."

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